

**GHOULS AT WORK
AT CANONSBURG.**

Vandals Robbed Victims Despite Vigilance of Police.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY CONE

Many Purses Were Found by Police But None of Them Contained Money. Inquest to Be Held Over 26 Dead Victims Tomorrow.

United Press Telegram.
CANONSBURG, Aug. 31.—Evidence was developed today that during the night of the Morgan opera last Saturday night, during which 26 lives were sacrificed and scores injured, vandals were busy robbing the unfortunate victims.

Although 25 special officers were sworn in to frustrate any such attempt, the fleas succeeded in pilfering from those who were dead or had sustained injuries, money, jewelry, watches and in fact anything of value. So many persons were assisting in the work of rescue that it was almost impossible for the police to detect the thieves, and excellent opportunities were afforded them while they were carrying the dead and injured from the bottom of the landing at the entrance to the theatre.

Immediately after the entrance had been cleared and the dead and injured removed, hundreds of articles, including jewelry, watches, shoes, clothing and other trinkets were found scattered about the pavement and street. During the excitement, these goods were not very carefully examined, and all were gathered up and placed in the safe deposit vault in the Philadelphia company's office, located in the Morgan building.

The police did not take possession of these articles until last Tuesday, the day on which the majority of the funerals of those who lost their lives were held. During the day persons began calling to claim the valuables they lost, but discovered they were not among those the police had recovered. Today it was reported that several diamonds, rings and brooches and purses containing various sums of money totaling \$250 were reported as missing. The owners had gone to police headquarters and were disappointed at not being able to find them. Although a large number of purses were found by the police, not a single one of them contained any money, and from all appearances they were stripped and then thrown upon the floor. Four leather purses were found in a garage in an alley in the rear of the Morgan building; they were empty.

Chief of Police Samuel Swan is busy today serving subpoenas on witnesses who will be called to testify at the inquest which will be conducted by Coroner Hoffman tomorrow morning.

**Swiped Dollars
From the Lobby**

A petty theft took place in the lobby of the Hotel Royal last night when two of the many silver dollars which were the floor were kicked up and surreptitiously removed. Clerk Fred Richter has his suspicions as to the culprit and prosecutions may follow. The silver dollars were placed in the office floor of the Hotel Royal, then the Marietta, many years ago, and most of them are worn so smooth the details of the coins have been obliterated. Despite this fact two of them were removed last evening.

Duquesne Limited Lates.
The Duquesne Limited was two hours late arriving here this morning, due to delays east of Cumberland.

**Foreigner Sues to Recover \$1,500
On Policy in Beneficial Society.**

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Attorney A. E. Jones represents the defendant. Attorneys Roppert, Sturges & Morrow filed the claim for this plaintiff.

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**\$50,000 PAID IN SETTLEMENT
TO McCORRY STORE VICTIMS**

That Is the Top Figure Mentioned While Other Reports are That All Law Suits Were Avoided for \$15,000.

Since the settlement of the damage cases against the Fayette County Gas Company many stories have been told as to the basis upon which the victims of the McCorry explosion settled their claims. None of the living victims of the explosion so far has been found who will state the sum received. All of them, it appears, gave pledges to representatives of the Fayette County Gas Company that they would not tell what they received. One report is that the Gas Company settled their claims for approximately \$15,000. Another estimate is much higher. The widow of the Italian, Frank Strone, of Trotter, according to one rumor received but \$800. Another figure named in the settlement of Mrs. Strone's claim was \$3,000. Mrs. Rose Jakos stated this morning that she received more than the sum paid for the death of her sister, Miss Minnie Mulac, who lost her life in the explosion. She stated she received more than \$3,000 in settlement of her claim. A little over \$1,000 is one figure quoted as paid for the death of Miss Ada Pearl Thomas of West Overton, while the top figure heard is \$5,000. Christabel Smith and Mabel Wagner were among the victims of the explosion who lost their lives and it is understood that settlements have been made in both cases. One of the girls said this morning that the living victims got much more than was paid to the relatives of the dead.

A man whose judgment is good said this morning that the small sums named in the rumors of settlements are used for the effect they might have on future claims and that the actual settlements made so far with those injured and relatives of the dead represent an outlay to the Fayette County Gas Company of close to \$50,000.

**Charlie Had the
Coin to Pay Fine**

Charlie Thompson, a Russian Pole, despite his Anglicized cognomen, appeared before Burgess J. L. Evans this morning on a charge of being drunk. He pleaded guilty but said he had no money nearer than the construction camp in Dunbar township, where he is employed. Burgess Evans refused to extend credit and Charlie discovered the right amount on his person after being sent back. John Pleah of Nolle was given 72 hours for being disorderly on Main street last evening. He admitted being drunk but denied insulting a woman, who needed police protection.

**Constable Locked
Out; Needed Help**

Constable Charles Wilson was unable to arrest Ella Anderson this morning without assistance. When he went to Dutch Bottom armed with a warrant charging Ella with conducting a disorderly house, the non-resident barred the doors and refused to be pinched. Wilson went to a telephone and asked the City Hall to send help. Constable R. E. Stillwagon responded and Mrs. Anderson capitulated before the superior force of numbers. She was brought to the lockup and will get a hearing later before Justice of the Peace W. P. Clark. Constable B. Rottler was the informant.

**Quinn is Held;
Forgery Charged**

George D. Quinn, arrested yesterday by Constable J. W. Mitchell on charges of having uttered bogus checks, was given a hearing yesterday afternoon by Justice of the Peace W. P. Clark.

**Veterans Will Go
to Pittsburgh**

A meeting of the Union Veteran Legion will be held at City Hall on Friday evening for the purpose of taking up the matter of attending the national encampment to be held in Pittsburgh September 12.

It is expected that a number of the Connellsville members of the U. V. L. will make it a point to attend the big Pittsburgh reunion.

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to defray funeral expenses and the remaining \$900 to be paid to his widow and children. It is claimed to become non-beneficial when he forsake the Roman Catholic church and did not make his Eastern confession and take Holy Communion.

Through Attorney George B. Jeffries, Marinel Horevitz has filed a lawsuit alleging that the defendant at Connellsville on June 3, No amount of damages is named. That is left for the jury. Horevitz alleges that Levy said that he, the plaintiff, was "the biggest crook, cheat and faker and a thief and a deadbeat and that he had no reputation whatever." Horevitz insists that he has a reputation and a good one too. He asks that the defendant be held in \$300 bail.

**BASKETBALL HALL
ON KELL LONG LOT.**

Rumored That Negotiations are Pending With Basketball People.

OFFICIALS ARE HOLDING OFF

Not Ready to Make Any Statement Until Matters are Closed Finally. Location at End of Bridge Most Desirable for Them.

On the West Side they are talking freely of the proposed plans for a new basketball hall which is to be erected on the Kell Long lot by the Connellsville Athletic Association on his property at the end of the bridge, along the river front. Whether Mr. Long and the basketball people have come to an agreement could not be learned today, although the West Side gossip says negotiations have reached a point where they may be closed at any time and the signing of the contract is a mere formality because arrangements have been made that are satisfactory to both parties.

**TAFT DENOUNCES
JUDICIARY RECALL.**

President Addresses American Bar Association at Boston.

ADVOCATES HIGHER SALARIES

For Federal Judges, Suggesting Raise From \$15,000 to \$25,000—Committee of Noted Attorneys Also Condemn the Recall.

United Press Telegram.
BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 31.—Addressing the members of the American Bar Association in convention here today, President Taft urged the lawyers to take up the work of reform in judicial procedure, denounced the recall as applied to the judiciary and urged the adoption of the arbitration treaties negotiated with France and Great Britain.

The President's remarks were greeted with enthusiasm by the 800 lawyers. The greatest demonstration came when the President advocated an increase of salaries for Federal judges from \$15,000 to \$25,000 a year and when he referred to the recall as a "wild theory." Just preceding the President's arrival the convention heard the report of a special committee of former presidents of the association who presented a resolution denouncing the recall of the judiciary. This report was received with great applause.

The committee included former Secretary of War Dickinson, Judge A. L. Parker, Harry S. Goetz, Toledo, of Virginia, George W. Lohmann, solicitor general of the United States, C. F. Libbey of Maine and George H. Ravello.

The President did not specifically name the recall of the judiciary in his address but only one interpretation was put upon his words by his long-armed auditors. The President said: "I am filled with gratitude for the men of 1787-89, those marvelous men who made the Constitution. In those days when all are for progress it is to be a detriment to the community that we have an instrument of such elasticity to meet our changing needs and with sufficient restrictions to keep out wild theories that if tried would endanger the community and prove a failure. I thank God for John Marshall, who declared that the court has the right to make the law of the legislature square with the Constitution."

Bar Association Officers.
BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 31.—(Special.)—The American Bar Association today elected the following officers: President, Stephen S. Gregory, Chicago, Ill.; Recording Secretary, George Whitlock, Baltimore, Md.; Associate Secretary, W. G. Kent, Baltimore; Treasurer, Frederick E. Wadhams, Albany, N. Y.

An Infant Dies.
Steve Marks, aged one year and two months, infant son of Steve and Annie Marks, died last night at the Marks home at West Lawrence, death being attributed to the heat. Funeral will be held at the Slavish church in the West Side, interment in St. John's cemetery.

Matthews' Family Reunion.
The annual reunion of the Matthews family is being held today at Shady Grove park. Thomas Matthews, president of the association, is a former well known West Side resident. Representatives of the family from Uniontown and other parts of Fayette county are present.

Fair Weather.
Generally fair tonight and Friday; warmer Friday is the noon weather bulletin.

**THE NEW LAW FOR MINORS IN
COAL MINES BECOMES EFFECTIVE**

To Work Underground in Pennsylvania Commencing September 1, Boys Must Be 16 Years of Age or Over.

The amendments to the Pennsylvania State law governing the age of minors permitted to work inside the mines or about the outside workings of coal mines in Pennsylvania goes into effect tomorrow. In brief the amendment raises the age limit of boys permitted to work inside bituminous and anthracite coal mines from 14 to 16 years. The old law permitted boys of 14 years to work inside the mines. This section is amended to read that boys of 14 years of age may work in the washeries or breakeries or about the outside workings of a coal mine either bituminous or anthracite. The amended section reads: Be it enacted etc. That from and after the passage of this act, no minor under the age of fourteen years shall be employed, permitted or suffered to work in, about, or for any coal breaker or washery, or in or about the outside workings of any coal mine.

**SAYS HE SAW PAUL
BEATTIE WITH GUN.**

Defense Witness Testifies Cousin Had Weapon Sunday Before Killing.

SHAKES CAUSE OF PROSECUTION

Paul Beattie Had Testified He Gave Gun to Henry on Saturday Night Previous—Pawnbroker's Son Says Paul Lifted the Weapon.

United Press Telegram.
CHESTERFIELD COURTHOUSE, Va., Aug. 31.—The strongest card yet shown in defense of Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., on trial for the murder of his wife, was laid on the table today. A mysterious witness surprised the prosecution with the declaration that the Sunday before the killing Paul Beattie was at his post as a bridge watchman carrying a single barreled shotgun. Paul Beattie had insisted that he gave the gun to his cousin, Henry Clay Beattie, the accused man, on Saturday night.

The witness who threw the bomb into the camp of the prosecution was Ernest H. Nebbett, a paper mill superintendent. He declared that at 8 o'clock Sunday evening he saw Paul Beattie standing in the doorway of a little building at the end of the bridge with a shotgun in his hand.

"When he saw me he put the gun inside the doorway," said Nebbett. If Nebbett's story is established one of the principal features of Paul's testimony, upon which the prosecution has founded the whole case, will be contradicted.

In a brief cross examination Prosecutor Wendenburg was unable to shake Nebbett in the slightest degree. After springing this sensation the defense settled down to examining half a dozen character witnesses to prepare the way for the placing of Henry Clay Beattie himself upon the stand.

When court convened early today Attorney Smith wanted to recall J. C. Talley, who told of hearing a woman scream on the night of the murder, but Talley, in an automobile with Detective Scherer, was marooned somewhere in the muddy road. Then Smith called David Weinstein, the 17 year old son of the pawnbroker, at whose shop Paul Beattie says he bought the fatal gun. The boy said he sold the gun to Paul and asserted he gave it to Paul at a few minutes before 10 o'clock on the Saturday evening before the tragedy. Paul had picked out the gun that morning, he said.

"Paul Beattie told me he was a watchman on a bridge and wanted the gun to use down there," said Weinstein.

Paul Beattie denied having made the statement during his cross examination. The attorney confused the boy somewhat but later his young brother, Job Weinstein, was called, and corroborated his brother's testimony in the main part.

MRS. DANIEL LEWIS.
Former South Connellsville Resident Dies at Morgantown.

Mrs. Daniel Lewis, a former well known resident of South Connellsville, died last Friday of heart trouble at her late home at Morgantown. Mr. Lewis, husband of the deceased, was formerly employed at the tin plate mill at South Connellsville. Deceased is survived by her husband and four children, the youngest were held last Sunday afternoon from the Lewis residence.

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**COMMITTEE OF 15
GIVEN DISCHARGE.**

Served Full Term and Made South Connellsville a Borough.

VOTE OF THANKS FOR PIERCE

As Chairman of Committee H. Had Charge of the Work—Republicans and Democrats Prepare to Enter Tickets in Field.

After serving out its full term of two years and six months, the committee of 15 which was named to take charge of the movement for South Connellsville to become a borough was discharged with thanks at a meeting of the citizens held in the new borough last evening. Frank Pierce, chairman of the committee, discharged his fellow members from further duties and then laid down the gavel. It was taken up by J. J. McCarthy and a vote of thanks tendered Mr. Pierce for his efficient services. Mr. Pierce had previously thanked his committeemen.

"The matter of putting a citizens' ticket in the field was permitted to lie dormant although it may be revived if it is thought necessary. The matter is now in the hands of a committee composed of J. J. McCarthy, John L. Sisley, W. A. Furlong and W. M. Sisley. The attendance at the meeting was not as large as at previous sessions, largely because of inclement weather. The committee named last evening will take charge of things until after the election.

Following the meeting the Republicans held a session for the purpose of naming a full ticket. It is understood that most of the candidates were selected, including W. M. Sisley for Burgess, but vacancies remain to be filled. Today the Democrats are making out a ticket to be put in the field.

"The Prohibitionists will not present a ticket, it is said, and the fight, if there is one, will be between the old parties and the Socialists. It was said today that the Democrats may endorse some of the Republican candidates. There was talk of naming W. M. Sisley on both tickets although there was another rumor current to effect that Lee Miller might be the choice of both parties for Burgess.

**West Penn Picnic
Postponed a Day**

Because of the continued rainfall last evening members of the committee in charge of the annual West Penn picnic at Quaker Park decided to postpone for one day the second trip to be made to the park. The West Penn employees who did not go to the picnic on Tuesday will make the trip tomorrow.

Although today the weather was far from ideal, indications were that there would be more favorable weather tomorrow and the committee in charge hopes the employees and their friends will have an opportunity to enjoy themselves to the limit tomorrow without interference from J. Pluvius.

Register Certificates.
Teachers in Fayette county holding permanent or State Normal certificates met this morning at the local High School building for the purpose of having their certificates registered by County Superintendent C. G. Lowellyn. Under the new school code registration of permanent and State Normal certificates are required.

Get No Patients.
No new patients have been admitted to the Cottage State hospital since yesterday morning.

**Many Slides of the Mountain Side on
Right of Way of Western Maryland.**

The rains of the past two days have played havoc with some of the grading work on the Western Maryland railroad. Hundreds of tons of earth have slid down from the mountain sides at a number of points between the Trotter Water Company's plant east of the city and Meyersdale. In the vicinity of Ohiopyle where the slides have been particularly aggravating, the recent rains loosened the earth and it has dropped down onto the right of way. Near the Trotter water plant there is a slide of considerable extent. It started before the rain came and the wet weather has not helped conditions any.

A few days ago a slide in the vicinity of Ohiopyle covered up the steam shovel which had been dug out. Work on the new road will not progress as rapidly as the fall months wear on and weather conditions get worse. However, most of the heavy work has been done with the exception of several comparatively small stretches, so that rainy weather will not affect the completion of the road now as much as it would have during the summer months.

Girl Sues for \$5,000.

Asking \$5,000 in an action of trespass for alleged defamation of her good character, Nellie Butts, not yet aged 20 years, of West Newton, has through her father, James Butts, filed suit against Henry McDonald, a young neighbor, for alleged defamation of her character.

Raising The Maine in Havana Harbor

United Press Telegram

HAVANA, Aug. 31.—The work on the wreck of the Maine has not yet gone beyond the experimental stage, if one studies closely the different tasks being taken to carry out the plan of the cofferdam and to raise the wreck or that part of it which was not damaged by the explosion. While the general plan of building a cofferdam around the wreck and pumping out the water and mud has been generally followed, the minor details, such as making the cofferdam tight and strong, and able to withstand the outside pressure of the water have proven greater than the average person will imagine.

In the first place, many of the circular piles forming the cofferdam were very badly driven. One gave way entirely before pumping was started. These steel slabs of piling are 15 feet long. The water about the wreck is about 25 feet deep. The soft silt and mud is 10 or 15 feet more, and this leaves but 25 feet of the piles in firmer clay and hardpan at the bottom of the harbor. As the water is pumped lower in the cofferdam the pressure from the outside increases, and as the pressure on the cofferdam increased the circular piles gave in, taking an oval form to a slight extent, not noticeable to the eye, but clearly shown by the test lines set. This trouble the engineers tried to obviate by dumping rock on the top of the cofferdam and against the inside walls of the cofferdam. The water pumped down to the 14-foot level, showed the weakness of the cofferdam, and with the rock dumped inside made the work of pumping out more mud dangerous.

The engineers may be able to take out a few feet more, but they will hardly attempt to clear the basin of mud and water as the plan was originally announced. The aft part of the wreck which suffered little from the explosion—the ship being literally cut in two—will have to be floated, and to do this all the bulkheads must be made absolutely secure.

That portion of the wreck can be towed to an American port and the people who will spend close to a million dollars in raising it, may be given an opportunity to viewing the remains of the ill-fated vessel.

The forward part of the ship is nothing but junk, even to the bottom plates, not even a small connection holding the bow to the after part. The destruction was so complete that it is difficult to identify many of the pieces, even though the naval constructor here has a model of the original ship with which to compare the pieces. There is no chance to find any of the remains of those who were in this part of the ship, as they have undoubtedly been swept away by the tide and storms of years.

Much mud and wreckage remains in the hold of the after part of the ship, and this is being removed, the water tight compartments enabling the workmen to go below the present water surface. Many of those engaged on the work think the wreck will be towed to some American port, even to the Canal Exposition at San Francisco. The raising of the Maine, at least the expensive manner in which the work is being done, is the result of the sentiments of American people and it is not thought that the people will permit the wreck being taken out to deep water and sunk before they have had a chance to see it.

"The Stampede" at the Soisson

"The Stampede" comes to the Soisson this evening with Miss Lillian Buckingham in the leading role. This is one of the moderate priced shows that surprise those who attend by unusually clever acting, splendid scenic effects and an air of more pretentious production. Those who saw "The Stampede" last season were more than pleased with it and according to the producers the show is even better this year.

"The Stampede" was written by Cecil Deane, author of "Strongheart." This, in itself, is a strong drawing card. Manager Fred Robbins has received a letter from A. G. Delamater, one of the producers of the company. He says:

I just returned from Altoona where I witnessed the dress rehearsal and opening performance of "The Stampede." Since the show has played you Mr. DeMille has rewritten the play and made it a good deal stronger than it was before. While it was a good play at that time it is even better now. The cast is better and more expensive than last season and the production has been put in excellent shape. I will guarantee the show in every way to give the best of satisfaction to the most exacting patron.

Rather strong endorsement, but those who saw the play last year say it is well worth while—and then some.

Parochial Schools to Open.
The Parochial schools will open on next Monday. The Sisters of Mercy, who were in charge last year, will be here last evening from Vermont and will be in charge of the schools this year. The Lower Tyrone township schools will also open on next Monday morning.

To Portland For Wedding.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Hall of Vanderbilt, and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Dowdler will leave tonight for Portland, Oregon, to attend the wedding of William VanGunda Detwiler and Miss Virginia June Sterling of Portland, Ore. to be solemnized Thursday, September 11.

Fifty Years Ago Today.

Aug. 31.
More than three years ago the north had been furnished by Reading, Pa., than any other place in the country in proportion to its size.

There had been conflicting figures concerning the losses in the battle of Wilson's Creek, Mo., and the announcement that the casualties in that engagement had reached a total of 1,235 impressed the country, with the fact that a memorable battle had been fought.

Officer McDonald Saw Snow Falling

Officer Thomas McDonald is authority for the statement that snow fell early yesterday morning. Tom is willing to take oath that a few flakes of the "beautiful" dropped from the slate colored skies above, just about dawn. McDonald is on night turn and he declared to Chief Hetzel last night that there could be no mistake about the matter. In any event, whether McDonald's story is confirmed or exploded, it is generally agreed that the weather was cold enough for snow.

The crest in the high waters of the Young river was reached about noon yesterday and then began falling. By evening it had dropped half a foot and this morning was down to a 7 1/2 foot stage. There was a hard rain about midnight but this morning the slate colored skies did not send more rain. The temperature this morning was 61 degrees; 60 having been both the morning and afternoon record yesterday.

BIG FAMIL REUNION
Of the Blauch-Blough-Plough Families Held in Somerset.

The annual reunion of the Blauch-Blough-Plough families was held yesterday at Meadowood grove, Somerset. Hundreds of the descendants of one branch of the family resided in the Somerset-Berlin district, and many of the guests were from that district.

Mrs. John T. Hetzel and Mrs. R. O. Pickett of the West Side, are members of the Blough family, which is well known in this section. Congratulations to the Association were received from members of the family in Illinois, New Orleans and New York.

Surety of Peace Charged.
Cham Miller of the West Side was given a hearing last evening before Judge P. M. Buttermore of the West Side and bound over for December court on a charge of surety of the peace, the information being made by his wife. Mrs. Miller alleged that on last Friday night the defendant came home and ill treated her and threatened her life. Miller was arrested by Constable William Schrum of the West Side.

Ladies' Aid Meeting.
The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the United Brethren Church is being held this afternoon at the home of Miss Stitts in South Connellsville.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Trinity Lutheran Church will be held tomorrow afternoon in the old church on East Apple street. All members are invited to attend.

K. of C. Dance.
The members of the Knights of Columbus will hold a dance next Monday evening in the K. of C. auditorium in the Title and Trust building.

J. W. Mitchell a Candidate.
The Chief J. W. Mitchell has announced that he would be a candidate for reelection as Constable of the First Ward.

Superintendent Lowellyn Here.
County Superintendent C. J. Lowellyn was in town this morning on business.



CHILLY.
"The water seems awfully cold today," "A couple of Boston girls just took a plunge ahead of us."

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DICTIONARY COUPON
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COUPONS OF CONSECUTIVE DATES CONSTITUTE A SET.

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The \$4.00 (Like illustration in advertisement elsewhere in this issue) is bound in full Limp Leather, flexible, stamped in gold on back and sides, printed on Bible paper, with red edges. New Standard and corners rounded; beautiful, strong, durable. Besides the general contents as described elsewhere there are maps, illustrated and over 600 subjects beautifully illustrated by three-color plates, numerous subjects by monochrome, 16 pages of valuable charts in two colors, and the late United States Census. Present at this office six consecutive Dictionary coupons and the **98c**

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The \$2.00 It is plain cloth binding stamped in gold. It is a half-bound, with cloth covers and corners rounded. It is a beautiful, strong, durable. Besides the general contents as described elsewhere there are maps, illustrated and over 600 subjects beautifully illustrated by three-color plates, numerous subjects by monochrome, 16 pages of valuable charts in two colors, and the late United States Census. Present at this office six consecutive Dictionary coupons and the **48c**

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Medium weight Flannel Lined Shirts and Drawers. Exceptional values at the small price per garment..... **39c**

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6 lbs. Loose Rolled Oats.....25c	3 large cans Fancy Tomatoes...25c
Sweet Potatoes, per 1/2 peck.....20c	3 Cans Cream Corn.....25c
3 5c Sacks Salt.....10c	Quart Bottle Grape Juice.....35c
10 doz. Clothes Pins.....10c	3 10c-bottles Vanilla.....25c
7 Double Sheets Fly Paper.....10c	1 lb. Cream Crackers.....15c
3 10c-boxes Coconut.....20c	1 lb. extra Choice Rio Coffee.....22c
4 bottles Ammonia.....25c	1 lb. Fancy Mocha and Java Coffee.28c
1 box Cosmo Buttermilk Soap.....20c	1 lb. pure Black Pepper.....18c
10 lb. Pail Lake Herring.....55c	3 5c-boxes Matches.....10c
2 lb. can Baking Powder.....20c	4 lb. Box Gold Dust.....25c
3 boxes Fruit Pudding.....25c	6 large rolls Toilet Paper.....25c
3 boxes Jell-O Cream Powder.....25c	4 lb. box Dutch Cleanser.....25c
4 lbs. Ginger Snaps.....25c	Quart Jar Queen Olives.....25c
1 gal. Jug Catsup.....55c	2 2-quart Jars Mustard.....25c
11 bars Octagon Soap.....50c	3 Bottles Parker House Catsup...25c
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The fall season is approaching, and the time to get new styles, is when they first come out. We are daily receiving new fall purchases for our sixty-three large stores, and invite your inspection of the different lines: showing all the latest models and styles. Any woman wanting a nice, stylish outfit, for herself or children, should visit one of our stores at once. We cannot specify or tell you all the different styles, further than to say, that our stocks are complete in all lines, and our prices are lower than any other store in the coke region for the same class of goods.

BOYS AND GIRLS
WILL NEED NEW SCHOOL OUTFITS
and we have made very liberal provisions for them. All the Union Supply Company's stores are ready to outfit the boys and girls completely for the opening day of school. If you are near a Union Supply Company store, do not fail to inspect these stocks. We can save you time and we can save you money. We feel quite sure, we cannot be excelled in style or quality, and we are just as sure, that our prices for the same class of goods, are the lowest you can find.

UNION SUPPLY CO.
63 LARGE DEPARTMENT STORES,
Located in Fayette, Westmoreland & Allegheny Cos.

Fine Job Work of all kind at this office.

TAFT WILL INVADE INSURGENT TERRITORY.

President's Forty Day Trip Will Take Him to the Pacific Coast.

Plans for President Taft's coming trip through the west and to the Pacific coast have been completed. The journey will be almost as extensive as that taken by the president on his famous "swing around the circle" in 1909, when he traveled more than 13,000 miles and visited thirty-three states. He will break ground for the Panama Canal exhibition at San Francisco and attempt to reach the 11,000 feet of Mount Rainier's precipitous slope.

The president will be gone six weeks. In that time it is expected that he will make close to 200 speeches from platforms and from the rear end of his private car. Republican leaders look upon this trip as the most important, politically, that the president has made out since he entered the White House. He will go through all the states in the west, and will visit the Progressive Republicans, who are contending to oppose his re-nomination next year.

Until the question of the adjournment of congress was out of the way the president was undecided whether he should be gone three weeks or six.

The president will leave Beverly Sept. 17, returning east about Nov. 1. He will go through Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado and Nevada to the coast. Most of the big cities in that section, including Des Moines, Kansas City, Omaha, Denver and Salt Lake City, will be visited, but the plans for the trip contemplate stops at scores of smaller places as well. From California the president will go north to Portland and Seattle. Three days are to be spent in Washington state, and the route eastward will allow him to stop in Idaho, Montana, the Dakotas and Minnesota.

While no spellbinders are to be taken along, it is probable that members of the cabinet or congressmen will become traveling companions of the president at various points.

CHRIST TO COME IN 1912.

Dowle Disciples File a Declaration With Chicago Recorder.

The second advent of Christ upon earth and the coming of the lost tribes of Israel will occur some time in November, 1912, according to a declaration filed in the office of the Chicago county recorder.

This remarkable document, which fixes the month of the second coming of the Saviour, was drawn up and filed by Harry L. Burnett and John Taylor, disciples of the late John Alexander Dowle, and asks that all the followers of Zion rally to the support of the King when he shall come.

"Before the year 1912 shall close, Jesus, the Christ and the Son of God, will come forth from the eternal throne once again to teach and preach the gospel of salvation and to heal the sick," reads the document.

"The Christ will be revealed in Zion city, built by God's Elijah as a preparation of the way, unto all who await his coming."

According to Burnett, who is the author of the prophecy, the Christ will remain on earth 41 years. This time will be consumed in rebuilding the tribes of Israel and in building cities throughout the earth after the model of Dowle's Zion city. The rebuilding of Jerusalem will be the last work of the Christ upon earth.

Happiness.
That all who are happy are equally happy is not true. A peasant and a philosopher may be equally satisfied, but not equally happy. Happiness consists in the multiplicity of agreeable consciousness. A peasant has not capacity for having equal happiness with a philosopher.—Johnson.

PERSONAL

Country dinner at Killarney Inn over Sunday.

Miss Katherine Trisbee left today for a sojourn at Atlantic City. A Louise Bryte of Wilkesburg, returned here yesterday with her friends and relatives in the West Side.

Miss Mary Dugan is home from a visit with relatives in West Virginia. Miss Dugan is a teacher for the Wright Metzler Company.

West Penn Motorman Jesse Nichols is home from a visit to his sons at Buffalo, N. Y.

S. W. Meisters of Uniontown, was in town yesterday on business. Miss Nellie Sullivan will arrive home Saturday from a several weeks' visit with Miss Mary Cummings at Dunkirk, O. She also visited in Akron, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dunn and daughter, Hazel, and Miss Jennie Dunn arrived home this morning from their semi-annual trip to New York to buy fall and winter goods for 12 days.

Persons who advertise, Miss C. G. Gilman, chief operator for the Bell Telephone Company at Uniontown, and Miss Edna Cunningham, also of Uniontown, are at Niagara Falls.

Misses Mabel and Nellie Rosboro of Dayton, were in town yesterday. Miss Ruth Johnson of Jeannette, was in town yesterday.

Captain and Mrs. J. J. Porter and Mr. and Mrs. J. Donald Porter are home from a sojourn at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Joe Reed and two children of Morgantown, W. Va., were in town this morning on their way to Frederick, Md., to visit relatives.

Miss Helen Carroll, a teacher in the local high school, has returned home from a visit with relatives at Huntington, Pa.

Miss Josephine Rush went to Pittsburgh this morning to visit relatives. Miss Ida O'Donovan is the guest of friends in Uniontown today.

Miss Martha McFarland of Vanderburg, Ind., was in town this morning. Mrs. W. W. Wright of Cudde, O., is the guest of relatives here.

Country dinner at Killarney Inn every Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Markle of Perryopolis, is the guest of relatives here today.

Miss Mary H. Allen of Uniontown, was in town yesterday on business. Miss Mary and Katherine Keane of Hazlet, were the guests of Miss Nettie Hood yesterday. They were accompanied home last evening by Misses Margaret and Helen Hood.

Miss Mabelle Arison of Leavenworth, has returned home, after a visit with relatives in Kansas.

Miss Jennie Holt will leave Saturday for a visit with relatives at Beaver Falls.

Mrs. Lida Perry and Mrs. Louise Rulley have returned home from Uniontown, where they were the guests of the latter's daughter, Mrs. S. D. Pickett.

Miss Mathilda Holt of McKeesport, has returned home after a visit with Mrs. Jennie Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. William Arison of Hazlet, have returned home, after a visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Ritchie of Markleton, were Connellsville visitors yesterday.

M. A. Kiefer of Uniontown, was in town yesterday calling on his many friends.

L. M. Koeberlein
Ladies' Tailoring,
Waists, Gowns
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Miss St. Germaine. Hands 50c; cards 25c. Hours 10 to 9. Smith House, room 4.

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THURSDAY EVE'G, AUG. 31, 1911. UNWISE AND UNPROFITABLE RAILROAD DISCRIMINATION.

In a recent issue of the Chicago Black Diamond, we find the following: An interesting race for control of more coke and coal tonnage seems to have been entered into between the Baltimore & Ohio and the Chesapeake & Ohio railroads.

The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company has on its lines in Western Pennsylvania and Ohio large networks of coal well adapted to the Lake trade and other markets.

Comment upon this statement a man thoroughly versed in the matter, who made a study of it, says: The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company has on its lines in Western Pennsylvania and Ohio large networks of coal well adapted to the Lake trade and other markets.

The continued development of the West Virginia territory is a menace to the coal already being mined in the Pennsylvania and Ohio fields.

There is no crying demand from any consumer for either the West Virginia or the Kentucky coal when offered at the same price as the coal from the other producing states.

If the Baltimore & Ohio is being operated for the purpose of making the largest profit to the southeast, it is difficult to understand why an effort is not being made by its officials to increase its tonnage of coal.

Can it be possible that the larger stockholders of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company are expected to allow this ruinous policy to continue?

"In Eastern Ohio is a field of coal into which the Baltimore & Ohio has two lines. This coal is a good coal and the greatest rates to Lake Erie ports on it is 50c per ton, giving the railroad about 55c profit per ton.

The testimony in the matter of the complaints of the Pittsburgh coal operators and the Connelville coke producers to the Interstate Commerce Commission alleging discrimination against them has not yet been set-

lously refuted, yet we are confronted with the spectacle of the railroads continuing in their seeming purpose of preferring the coal and coke interests of West Virginia and Kentucky to those of Pennsylvania and Ohio.

The Connelville coke region community of interest has persistently refused to provide railroad facilities through the Greene county field, yet the Lake Erie is extending its lines far down into West Virginia to develop the coal holdings of the Kanawha Syndicate, which holdings are understood to be owned by Lake Erie interests including the Lake Erie management.

Since that time we have discovered some interesting data on this interesting subject. We have before us a booklet entitled: "Probable Effect on the Securities of the B. & O. Railroad Company of the Separation of Railroad and coal properties as Required by the Railroad Rate Bill."

This is the most important coal field which the B. & O. controls both because of the character of the product and the fact that in this region the Connelville is practically without competition.

Concerning the Fairmont coal district, the report says: The coal property includes some 12,000 acres of excellent coal land. As has been said, there is in this field a much more considerable independent product than in the Cumberland or Cheat Creek district.

Neither has Pennsylvania railroad always been free from sin. In times past its management on occasions more frequent than otherwise absolutely refused to develop coal properties on its own lines unless there was some official consideration.

A Connelville coke operator wants to know how the market prices of Pittsburgh coal and Connelville coke are to be maintained if the railroads multiply production. He further says: "Are railroad and steel interests going to this end to make coal and coke lands cheap, thus menacing and jeopardizing our coal land investments and operations. The proposition is neither just nor economic."

In conclusion, the author makes this striking appeal to Connelville and Pittsburgh coal and coke operators: "We ask only just treatment, which involves only the promotion of railroad economy, railroad profits and railroad efficiency. It is the curbing of competitive coal from far-off districts at competitive freight rates that forms the basis of Western Pennsylvania's objections and its complaints. To obtain justice the operators should unite. The Pittsburgh and Connelville operators will have to combine their forces and work together faithfully and aggressively in support of the coal and coke rate fight now pending before the Interstate Commerce Commission."

We are in receipt of a proposition from Connelville manufacturers offering to sell us one of their patent Shock Absorbers and to take 50% of the price in advertising. The price is not at first glance appealingly strong to us. We pictured a wonderful device that would have us from the automobile and absorb the shock in the shocks to our bank account when the bill came in. The shocks to our bank account when the bill came in. The shocks to our bank account when the bill came in.

"New reports are to the effect that the editor of The Courier who was on the train wrecked near Layton the other evening, was killed, but not

hurt. Our journalistic friend has passed through that self-same experience so often that he is to be excused now for considering himself immune," says The News. Not immune but injured.

The Connelville nickelodeons are under official observation and the herescope indicates that some of them will receive letters soon.

These are days of big cucumbers and radishes. The Young is on another high. Like some people, it does love to romp around now and then, especially when the surroundings get wet enough.

The weather works is turning out quite a variety. From torrid heat to snow flakes in two days is dropping some.

The picnic season is off for the present.

The Monongahela railroad will take a jump to the State line, where it will be met by the Buckhannon & Northern. There will be a railroad wedding and it will not be necessary to go to Cumberland for a license.

Dawson has its tragedies as well as its festivities. The State Fish Commission does not share Payson's county among the noted trout fishing countries. We always wondered why they didn't bite well when we went out.

The recent rains are washing the Western Maryland into the river, but there is enough of it left to lay tracks on.

CLASSIFIED ADS. ONE CENT A WORD.

Wanted.

WANTED—DINING ROOM GIRL. Inquire at 114 WEST MAIN STREET. 30a12d

WANTED—KITCHEN GIRL AT YOUNG HOTEL. Foreigner preferred. 30a12d

WANTED—RELATIVE WOMAN to nurse invalid. Address MISS N. care Courier. 30a12d

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Foreign preferred. Apply 224 South Ninth street. 30a12d

WANTED—DON'T FORGET THAT all furs shown here are stamped "Real Pure Wool Guaranteed." DAVID COHEN, Tailor. 30a12d

WANTED—A BRIGHT YOUNG LADY with business ability for traveling position. Salary and expenses. Address "BUSINESS" care Courier. 30a12d

WANTED—TO RENT 5 OR 6 ROOM house by September 15 or October 1. Best of references. Address "G. J. W." care Courier Office. 30a12d

WANTED—TO RENT A SEVEN OR eight room house for October first occupancy. State rent and location. Address BOX 290, Connelville. 30a12d

WANTED—OLD FLATIRON MOPS and pillows bought. Address J. H. COHEN, General Delivery, Connelville, Pa. Will call Friday, September 29th. 30a12d

WANTED—TEACHER IN LOWELL Township to teach to all vacancies. Board will meet at the Lowell school building, September 2, at 3:00 P. M. J. M. MURLAND, Secretary. 30a12d

FOR RENT—FOUR ROOM HOUSE, 411 N. PROSPECT. 30a12d

FOR RENT—HOME HOTEL. Inquire of MRS. SCHMITZ, over Back Store. 30a12d

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping. Call at 507 N. GREEN STREET. 30a12d

FOR RENT—NICE MODERN HOUSE, paved street. S. D. HILL, Connelville. Both phones. 30a12d

FOR RENT—TWO 5 ROOM HOUSES, bath and gas. Inquire E. S. SULLIVAN, 501 1/2 FRANKLIN STREET. 30a12d

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND REBUILT typewriters at bargain. Inquire at THE COURIER OFFICE. 30a12d

FOR SALE—SIX ROOM DWELLING house on East Main street; steam heat, bath, modern kitchen, call TRI-STATE PHONE 550. 30a12d

FOR SALE—LIGHT ACRES timber land located along State Western Maryland Railroad. For particulars address L. V. LEFFLEY, Perryopolis, Pa. 30a12d

FOR SALE—VERY CHEAP. 1,000 ft. and 100 ft. 1 1/2 ft. P. steam engine and boiler. 1 Invaluable Vacuum cleaner. Also 2 bicycles. Will sell all or part. W. J. CHODRON, 212 N. South street, or Tri-State Phone 607-2. 30a12d

FOR SALE—SMALL BRICK HOUSE and lot on First street in South Connelville; four rooms; finished cellar; natural gas, city water and electric light. One block from the street. Call line. South end of brick row. Price \$1,000 cash. H. P. SNYDER, The Courier Building, Connelville, Pa. 30a12d

Miss Wanted.

BIDS WANTED FOR FURNISHING coal to the different school houses of Upper Tyrone township, at so much per bushel. L. L. KILLIAN, Secretary, P. O. Box 11, Dawson, Pa. 30a12d

Notice For Coal Bids.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Supply Committee for furnishing coal for the South Side, Third Ward and Greenwood school buildings, on or before September 1, 1911. BERT J. THOMAS, Chairman. AUG 22-23-25 Stamp 30a12d

FOR ALDERMAN, Raymond S. Coll

IN THE FIRST WARD, CITY OF CONNELLSVILLE

FOR DIRECTOR OF THE POOR AND HOUSE OF EMPLOYMENT, Wm. P. Jackson

OF OHIOPIE BOROUGH. Late of Company P, 107 Regt. Penn'a. Vol. Vol.

FOR REGISTER OF WILLS AND CLERK OF THE ORPHANS' COURT, Charles O. Schroyer

OF DAWSON, PA. Subject to decision of Republican Primaries, Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911.

Notice. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A. B. Wagoner has sold out and transferred his grocery business conducted at West Side, Connelville, Pa., to A. T. Boor. That he will not be responsible for any bills contracted by said business after April 1, 1911. A. B. WAGONER. 20a12d

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF FAYETTE COUNTY.



S. Ray Shelby

Republican Primary Sept. 30, 1911.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, Moses H. Clark

OF UNIONTOWN. Subject to the decision of the Republican Primaries, Sept. 30, 1911.

FOR DIRECTOR OF THE POOR AND HOUSE OF EMPLOYMENT, Matthew B. Walker

OF NICHOLSON TOWNSHIP. Subject to the decision of the Republican Primaries, Sept. 30, 1911.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, John S. Langley

OF MENALLEN TOWNSHIP. Subject to the decision of the Republican Primaries, Sept. 30, 1911.

FOR CONTROLLER, Logan Rush

Subject to the decision of the Republican Primaries, Saturday, September 30, 1911.

FOR SHERIFF, M. A. Kiefer

Subject to the decision of the Republican Primaries, September 30, 1911.

Your vote and influence respectfully solicited.

FOR PROTHONOTARY, Wm. McClelland

OF UNIONTOWN. Republican Primaries, September 30, 1911.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, Jas. W. Abraham

OF SMITHFIELD. Subject to the decision of the Republican Primaries, September 30, 1911.

FOR DIRECTOR OF THE POOR AND HOUSE OF EMPLOYMENT, James J. Barnhart

OF DUNBAR TOWNSHIP. Republican Primary, Saturday, September 30, 1911.

FOR DIRECTOR OF THE POOR AND HOUSE OF EMPLOYMENT, Sam'l Higinbotham

OF REDSTONE TOWNSHIP. Subject to decision of Republican Primary Saturday, September 30, 1911.

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Tickets good returning leaving destination within 16 days.

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SUNDAY, SEPT. 3rd.

Train leaves Connelville 9:00 A. M., returning leaves Cumberland 6:00 P. M.

EXCURSION TO

PITTSBURGH, \$1.00

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Train leaves Connelville 8:45 A. M., returning leaves Pittsburg 6:40 P. M.

EXCURSIONS EACH SUNDAY 10:40 A. M. TO

OHIOPIE, 50c

Killarney Park, 65c

5-DAY EXCURSION TO

Nigara Falls, \$5.75

SATURDAY, SEPT. 2nd.

Train leaves 6:10 P. M. Sleepers attached to train from Pittsburg.

Call on H. L. Douglass, T. A., for further information.

Interesting Showing of New Autumn Suits

New Tailored Effects in Most Authoritative Styles Now Await You.

Come and see what the new season has in store for the woman who is a bit particular about her dress. See the newest things in vogue and at the same time compare prices. Take special notice to the superb tailoring of our garments and the fine style lines, even of our lowest priced suits, which will insure their shapeliness until the last day of active service.

Materials are beautiful and of the best. They are mostly storm and French Serges, fine Broadcloth, Cheviots, Diagonals and heavy novelty weaves in blacks, browns, blues, greys and mixtures, made in strictly tailored styles for practical wear, and others handsomely trimmed with touches of braid, velvet and buttons. Coats are 28 and 30 inches long and skirts a trifle fuller with knee side pleats, panels in front or back and some with loose panels. We invite you to come and inspect our lines and will gladly acquaint you with the newest style features of the season.

Our showing of these this season offers a wider range of styles and materials than of any season of the past. Anticipating a big coat season, we bought heavier and hence our showing is very complete. Styles show an absence of fullness which characterize all garments this season. They are full length, loose fitting and made of fancy mixtures, single and double faced materials, Serges, Cheviots, Broadcloths, etc., in plain tailored styles, and novel effects. Large storm collars, gauntlet cuffs, contrasting materials and slight button effect are pronounced features of the season. The early buyer has the advantage of the choice of the season's ideas.

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129-131-133 North Pittsburg Street.

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NEW ONES NOW

We have our New Zeiglers nearly all in and are ready now to show the season's latest, both in leathers and tocs.

Zeigler Bros. Footwear stand out in a class by themselves when it comes to high grade shoes. There are no better shoes to wear, no better styles to select from and no better shoe making than there is found in all Zeigler Shoes.

The Price is \$4 and \$5

We have them in black and brown velvets, black suedes, tan Russia calf, gun metal calf with or without cloth tops, plain or tip toes, and patents of all styles; mostly all button. The greatest selection it has been our pleasure to show you. Select them now and be the first. Double 'AA' to E.

C. W. Downs & Co.

draws the shoe trade by the superiority of its shoes. The fairness of its prices and the excellence of its shoe service.

The man looking for the best pair of shoes that can be bought for \$3, \$3.50 or \$4 is sure he will find them here—and he will.

See the new Fall Styles in Ralstons and you see the best to be seen at \$4.

See the A. B. Reed Shoes at \$3 and \$3.50, you will then know why so many men come to us for their shoes.

Patents, Tans, Gun Metal Calf, Vici Kid, Lace Button or Blucher.

Hooper & Long

That every added subscriber helps to make this paper better for everybody

What the Pennsylvania Railroad Is Doing in Economy of Material.

While wide publicity is being given to statistics showing, or purporting to show, how the railroads waste millions every year through unscientific methods, some railroads are endeavoring to show what they are doing to promote economy.

The Pennsylvania railroad has departments for the sole purpose of insuring it against loss through the use of poor materials. These departments do not bring in a dollar of direct revenue, but every year they save the company hundreds of thousands of dollars above the cost of their maintenance. Over 200 men are employed in these departments, and among them are some of the most skillful engineers and chemists in the country. The departments are known as the Test Department and the Chemical Laboratory. The first is in charge of the Engineer of Tests and the second is operated under the direction of the Chemist of the Pennsylvania railroad. Both are situated at Altoona, Pa.

As an instance of the saving possibilities of this department, a short time ago the engineers in charge of the Locomotive testing plant noticed that a certain coal was not producing the right amount of steam per pound. Upon investigation it was found that the coal was coming from an outcrop, a vein lying just outside the ground where it was damaged by being exposed to the weather. Shipments from this source were immediately stopped when the attention of the company furnishing the coal was directed to the matter. On the road it would probably not have been noticed, and it is estimated that the discovery saved enough to pay a month's expenses of operating the testing plant.

Some unique tests recently conducted were those made in an effort to find a fire proof lining for passenger cars. The lining is the thin layer of material with which the ceiling is finished. A steel coach was filled with boards and shavings saturated with oil. Two large cans of oil were placed on scuttles run between the window-sills. When this was ignited there was little doubt that anything which withstood the ensuing blaze was fireproof.

The longest and heaviest train ever operated was run from Altoona to Toledo, Pa., a distance of 117 miles, under the direction of this department. The length of the train was 4,888 feet—more than nine tenths of a mile—and the engine was connected with the engine by telephone. It consisted of 120 steel gondola cars loaded with 5,100 tons of coal, and was pulled at the rate of 13 miles an hour by a single locomotive of the type technically known as the "H-S-B" including equipment the load was 10,888,000 pounds.

While it was announced that it was not the intention of the Pennsylvania railroad to operate such heavy trains in regular service, the company stated that the test was made to determine the capacity of its freight locomotives over the improved lines where grades have been removed and curves compensated. They have been made frequently, but the latest one represents the heaviest movement ever secured.

Scientific management of the power is practiced by the Pennsylvania railroad in the purchase of supplies and by the manner in which everything from a rubber band to steam locomotives, inspectors are stationed so as to be available at every manufacturing firm from which materials or equipment are bought. Not only are the finished products subjected to a rigid examination before they are accepted, but the material which is bought by outside concerns must pass the scrutiny of these inspectors if it is destined for equipment ordered by the Pennsylvania railroad. Something of the importance of the work is indicated by the enormous amounts inspected by the men each year. A few of the things they passed on in 1910 are, 32,531,552 pounds of steel castings, of which 32,573,171 pounds were accepted, and 1,161,779 pounds were rejected; 211,153 wheels, of which 205,011 were accepted, and 2,519 were rejected; and 16,573 yards of plush, all of which was accepted.

These outside inspectors are under the direction of three resident inspectors with headquarters at Altoona, Pittsburgh and Philadelphia. Some of the things they test are car couplers, axles, etc., they test themselves at the works where they are made. Usually, however, specimens are sent to the laboratories at Altoona, where they are put through physical and chemical tests, the results of which are compared with the specifications.

The company relies on its experts to protect it and will accept nothing that does not come up to the specifications required by them. These cover practically everything that is used by the railroad. The wide range of articles they embrace is shown by a glance down the list, from automatic couplers, tin and lumber for ties and telegraph poles, to caustic soda, Tuscan red, soap, passenger car thermometers, and sponges. Every year new specifications are added and the old ones are constantly being revised to conform with more complete knowledge or more stringent requirements.

The thoroughness and independence of this branch of the work is illustrated by some special experiments that are now being made in the chemical laboratories. At present there are no chemical specifications for rubber, except those prepared by the Government. Instead of accepting these, as others have done, the Pennsylvania experts are making an exhaustive study of the subject in order to have specifications that they know are adequate.

Some of the routine tests made in

the chemical laboratory are those on water, metal, cement, etc. Careful watch must be kept on the water used by locomotives to see that it does not contain substances that will form scale on the inside of the boilers. In localities where good water cannot be obtained soda ash is put into prevent harmful effects.

Little trouble is experienced with the manufacturers of cement over rejections to accept their product, because the tests are open to them and they can always be shown the reasons for non-acceptance.

Thirty-five thousand eight hundred and seventy-two samples of various materials were examined in the chemical laboratories in 1910, and 121,970 determinations made. Among the special subjects investigated were drinking water, disinfectant, paint and varnish removers, steel wheels, rails, etc., with studies on smoke-preventing devices.

In the physical laboratories is a room where electric lights used in cases are tested. The life of a lamp that is supposed to last 1,000 hours is tested in about four hours by increasing the load 50 per cent. There is another apparatus to test the endurance of the lamps under vibration, such as they would be subjected to on a moving train.

In the laboratory for testing iron and steel are powerful testing machines for determining the elastic limit, the point where the steel begins to stretch; the ultimate strength or breaking point, and the elongation between the elastic limit and the breaking point.

The physical laboratories tested 97,759,972 pounds of bar iron last year, accepting 93,752,933 pounds, and rejecting 1,007,039 pounds, 540,759 pieces of air brake hose, accepting 722,139 and rejecting 104,200 pieces, 3,000,180 pounds of cotton waste, accepting 1,992,205 pounds, and rejecting 1,007,975 pounds, but these are only a few items picked out at random. Fifty-eight thousand one hundred and nine three routine tests were made during the year.

Theoretically every bolt and rivet, every piece of wood or steel that goes out on the Pennsylvania railroad is competent to do the work asked of it, with a store of reserve strength for any extraordinary strain.

If the theory on which the Test Department works could be carried out perfectly in practice there would be no breakage. But, naturally, this is impossible where the work is done by men who are bound to make mistakes sometimes. Broken parts are always sent to the laboratories, and a large part of the business consists of investigating the causes of such breakage in order to prevent repetition. Almost all incidentally loss is avoided in this way. If the break is due to a misapplication the department can lay its finger on every other piece of equipment that could have been affected before more damage is done. Or, if it is due simply to wear from age, it offers a clue for the investigation of similar parts that were put in use at the same time.

The most unique feature of the test work at Altoona is the Locomotive Testing Plant. By the arrangement of the apparatus here installed the latest engine can be run at top speed without traveling an inch, so that constant results are obtainable and can be measured and tabulated with far greater exactness than is possible in road trials. The amount of fuel consumed, the water evaporated, the weight of the sparks and cinders part of which are lost up the smoke stack, the friction of the various parts—these are only a few of the elements of locomotive performance that are ascertained.

A locomotive undergoing a test rests upon supporting wheels. The drawbar is attached to a stationary dynamometer with scales that weigh the pull. The supporting wheel axles extend so as to receive absorption brakes and the work done consists in overcoming the resistance of the wheels and brakes, the force exerted by the drawbar being measured by the dynamometer. Pens attached to the scale levers make a permanent record of the performance in diagram form.

Since the plant was installed in 1906, 1,559 tests have been made. Inventions are given a trial and men are constantly at work perfecting the locomotive. At present an automatic motor is being tried. Of course road tests are also conducted by the department, and men trained in the plant are sent out along the lines as inspectors to show how to profit by what is learned.

The Pennsylvania railroad began the testing of materials in 1876. The establishment of the laboratory took place in 1879, with a force of only four men, two on chemical and two on physical tests. From that time the history of the department has been one of rapid growth both in size and importance, until today it is one of the vital parts of the great railroad system. It is a sort of bureau of scientific management where problems are studied daily and are expanded in working towards the perfection that means the least waste and the highest efficiency.

Factory Hands in Japan. More than two-fifths of the 1,000,000 factory hands in Japan are women and children. Seventy thousand children under the age of fourteen are employed in mills. In the match and tobacco factories many children under ten years are employed.

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BASEBALL.

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

National League.
Pittsburgh 6, Boston 1.
Boston 6, Pittsburgh 4.
Other games postponed; rain.

American League.
Cleveland 1, Washington 5.
Ten innings.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

National League.		
Club	W.	L.
New York	42	14
Philadelphia	37	19
Pittsburgh	30	26
St. Louis	28	28
Cincinnati	25	31
Boston	20	36
Chicago	19	37
Brooklyn	15	41
San Francisco	14	42
American League.		
Club	W.	L.
Philadelphia	27	37
Detroit	24	40
Boston	24	40
New York	20	44
Chicago	19	45
Cleveland	19	45
Washington	17	47
St. Louis	15	49

Half a Million Trout are Caught

HARRISBURG, Pa., Aug. 31.—Over 500,000 trout were caught in the streams of Pennsylvania during the season of 1911 according to an estimate made by William E. Meahan, State Commissioner of Fisheries. This figure is based upon returns made to the commissioner from clubs affiliated with the United Sportsmen of Pennsylvania and by individual fishermen, together with observations made by Mr. Meahan and his wardens.

This catch, says the commissioner, would amount to about 100,000 pounds, or \$10,000 in value, and would go far toward disproving the statements made and printed that trout fishing is declining in Pennsylvania and that streams are being "fished out."

The returns made through the United Sportsmen came from 25 clubs, whose officers reported that 1,415 of their members caught 75,000 trout in 1911 streams. Ten other clubs reported inability to secure accurate data. In addition 357 persons reported the catch of 2,630 trout in 40 streams, so that 1,732 people took 76,532 trout from 239 streams, enabling estimates of the total catch to be made.

With the exception of Sullivan county, all the great trout counties have very small returns. Pike, for instance, shows a total of only 1,523, and from four streams and less than 200 men. Pike county is one of the most noted trout counties in the State, and it is safe to say that as many trout were taken from Pike county as from Sullivan, if not double the number.

Monroe county shows only 8,035 from eight streams and there were probably as many trout caught in Monroe as in Pike. Centre also is reported with only about 4,000 trout. Ten times that number would be nearer the mark. The returns from Luzerne, McKean, Lackawanna, Lycoming and Lehigh are ridiculously small, and there are no returns whatever from Clinton or Forest or Potter or Tioga, all noted trout counties. It may safely be stated that if only 75,000 trout were caught from 239 streams by 1,732 fishermen, the number of trout annually caught would largely exceed 500,000.

There are over 3,000 trout streams in Pennsylvania, of which 2,382 were stocked by the State last year, and out of all the counties stocked there were only 14 in which there were less than 10 streams stocked. Luzerne county, from which one of the streams returns is made, had 77 streams stocked. Pike had 32, Centre 101, and there were only seven less than 20 and over 10.

Among the noted trout counties were Bedford, with 39 stocked streams; Blair, 56; Carbon, 53; Centre, 103; Clearfield, 69; Clinton, 48; Columbia, 91; Cumberland, 26; Elk, 92; Forest, 60; Franklin, 26; Fulton, 13; Huntingdon, 51; Lackawanna, 29; Luzerne, 77; Lycoming, 67; McKean, 49; Monroe, 84; Pike, 32; Potter, 70; Schuylkill, 41; Sullivan, 75; Susquehanna, 37; Tioga, 51; Warren, 62; Wayne, 32; Westmoreland, 27; York, 147.

W. C. T. U. Meets Soon at Perry

The W. C. T. U. of Fayette county will assemble in the Methodist Episcopal church at Perryopolis Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 13 and 14, to take account of the work done during the year and to plan the work for the ensuing year. It is the request of the county president that every union be represented by as many delegates and visitors as possible. Each county officers and superintendent should consider it a duty and privilege to attend the convention. In order to have the convention a success the presence and aid of every member is needed. It is the desire of the president that all reports be sent to the superintendent prior to the convention.

The officers are: President, Mrs. Kate Rittenour of Uniontown; Vice President, Rev. Mrs. Nellie H. Showman, Conneltsville; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Anna B. Junk, Vanderburgh; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Lulu Luce, Perryopolis, and Treasurer, Mrs. J. M. Durhan, Dunbar.

Bids Close Today for Railroad Work

Bids for grading the extension of the Monongahela railroad from the present terminus at Martin to the West Virginia-Pennsylvania State line were received at the offices of Engineer D. K. Orr at Brownsville until noon today. The contract is to be let as soon as the bids can be tabulated and the low bidder ascertained. The specifications provide that work must be started immediately upon the announcement of the successful bidder.

It is in the neighborhood of nine miles from Martin to the State line and the grading is not heavy, so probably it will require but a short time to complete the road. It is estimated that from 200,000 to 400,000 yards of dirt will have to be removed. More than this much has already been removed on the Buckhannon & North-east.

Patterson, Moran & Luck, contractors for the grading of the B. & N. submitted bids for the work and the chances are that they will be awarded the contract. The work on the substructure of the bridge across the Monongahela is progressing rapidly.

Ringgold Vets at Bellevernon

BELLEVERNON, Pa., Aug. 31.—The first day of the reunion of the Ringgold Battalion here closed last night with a parade and a campfire in "Parker's" hall, at which a number of interesting addresses were made. The parade took place at 7 o'clock.

Col. Andrew J. Greenfield presided at the campfire, at which the principal speakers were Erasmus Wilson of Pittsburgh, who was a member of an Ohio company during the war; Lloyd E. Flint of Monongahela who spoke on behalf of the Sons of Veterans, and Joseph A. Bryan of Monongahela.

Capt. J. C. McNulty of Washington, Pa., made an address, presenting an engraved bronze tablet to Samuel C. Farrar of Pittsburgh as a token of appreciation of his work in compiling a history of the Twenty-second Pennsylvania Cavalry and the Ringgold Battalion.

The next reunion will be held at Bellevernon, Washington county, where the original company of the battalion was recruited.

Morgan Couple are Quietly Married

Special to The Courier.
OWENSDALE, Aug. 31.—Joseph Rusman and Miss Anna Bertha Hatz were married at the German Lutheran church, Conneltsville, yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock in the presence of a few friends and relatives. Rev. George Dietz officiated. The bride's sister, Miss Mayne Hatz, was bridesmaid. Henry Georling was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Rusman left for a few weeks' visit to Richmond, Indiana. The groom's sister, Miss Rose Rusman, accompanied them. On their return the couple will make their home at Morgan.

AN IRISH LEGEND.

The Foxes Mourn When a Head of the Gormaston Family Dies.

"Among the oldest families in Ireland are the Gormastons. It is said that when the head of the house dies and for some days before the foxes leave all the neighboring covers and collect at the door of the castle. This strange phenomenon," writes E. T. Humphries in the National Review, "occurred when the twelfth Viscount Gormaston died in 1860 and again in 1870, when the thirteenth viscount died. In this mortal coil, the fourteenth holder of the title died in 1907. Inquiry was then made to test the truth or otherwise of the weird legend."

"The son, in a letter published in the New Irish Review, stated that when in the chapel watching his father's remains prior to burial he heard noises outside as of a dog sniffing at the door. Upon opening it there was a full grown fox close to the steps and several more around the church. The conclusion was the presence of the foxes; so does another family retainers."

"The daughter of the thirteenth successor wrote saying that upon the illness of her father the foxes sat in pairs under the bedroom windows, howling and barking all night, and if driven away returned."

"The family crest is a running fox, and a fox is one of the supporters of the family arms."

The Oxidation of Brass.
Brass when immersed in a hot solution consisting of one-half ounce of golden sulphuric of antimony and four ounces of caustic soda in each gallon of water becomes oxidized with a pleasing brown shade. The shade becomes darker if the metal is immersed in a dilute solution of sulphate of copper, used cold, about four to eight ounces to the gallon. Several immersions in the same manner give deeper brown tones.

Felt So Small.
Boggs—Did you get in all right last night? Wozg—Oh, yes. Boggs—Then the doors weren't locked. As you feared? Wozg—Indeed they were, but my wife yelled at me as I was coming up the steps, so I crawled in through the letter slot.—Puck.

Lincoln Beachey Winning Altitude Event, Going Up Two Thousand Feet in the Air in Less Than Seven Minutes From Start.



SPRANTON, Mass., Aug. 31.—In a contest with the other crack aviators at the Harvard-Boston zero meet Lincoln Beachey, the young Californian who recently performed aerial miracles at Niagara Falls, added to his laurels by winning the altitude event. This was a race up into the air against time, Beachey reaching the required altitude of 2,000 feet in a little less than seven minutes from the start. Beachey is taking a large bunch of the prize money at the meet.

Yale Scholarship for Bohemian Boy, Living at West Brownsville.

G. H. Mika, a 20-year-old Bohemian of West Brownsville, will be sent to Yale University as the first student thus honored under the Yale Scholarship Trust of Pittsburgh, recently established by the Yale Alumni Association. According to the scholarship conditions, Mika will be loaned the money to complete his course. Alumni associations in other cities have created similar scholarships and sent students through their alma mater, but it remained for Pittsburgh Yale men to send the first foreign-born student to these mother colleges.

Mika was born in Europe, came to America nine years ago and has so outshined his own life ever since, overcoming every obstacle of language and environment, that he was chosen as being representative of what Yale men think is the proper crude material from which can be moulded a leader of men. Mika passed the examinations most creditably. His selection was in entire accord with the scholarship trustees' ideals who, in writing of what kind of a man they wanted, said:

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Petitions of Candidates in Fayette County Who are Seeking Nominations.

Additional candidates' petitions filed up to noon on Wednesday, August 30:

Lower Tyrone.
School Director—Henry Colbert, Dem., 2 yrs.; Jno. S. Cochran, Dem., 0 yrs.
Inspector of Election—Albert Darby, Dem.; Oscar Pringle, Rep., Dist. No. 1.
Constable—J. A. Sutton, Dem.
Constable—J. C. Sutton, Dem.
Judge of Election—C. C. Ruse, Dem.
Recorder Assessor—Wm. A. Mellinger, Dem., Dist. No. 2.
Road Supervisor—Jno. W. Nowell, Rep.

German Township.
Road Supervisor—Richard W. Wright, Rep.

Perry Township.
Road Supervisor—Jno. Wilcox, Rep.
School Director—Pleasant C. Britt, Rep., 3 yrs.
Upper Tyrone Township.
Road Supervisor—Jno. Henningson, Dem.

Smithfield.
School Director—Curtis Shaw, Rep., 4 yrs.
Hillsdale Township.
Assessor—Peter B. Halfhill, Dem.
Constable—Chas. McKee, Dem.
Alderman—Jos. A. Mason, Rep.
Washington Township.
School Director—W. J. Cook, Rep., 4 yrs.; C. S. Lynn, Rep., 2 yrs.
County Office.
Clerk of Court—Thomas V. Donagan, Rep.; Marshall Foreman, Conneltsville.

German Township.
School Director—Wm. F. Bainbridge, Rep., 4 yrs.
Conneltsville City.
Select Council—James G. German, Rep.
South Union Township.
School Director—Eliza B. Jeffries, Rep., 6 yrs.
Georgetown Township.
Road Supervisor—Stephen E. Wade, Rep.; John L. Hitt, Dem.
Inspector of Election—Chas. Sanner, Rep., Dist. No. 2.
Auditor—Homer Daugherty, Rep.
German Township.
Constable—Heuben W. Bowers, Dem.
Nicholson Township.
School Director—Geo. W. Burner, Dem., 4 yrs.
Road Supervisor—Josiah Walters, Dem., 4 yrs.
Henry Clay Township.
School Director—Hiram Guard, Dem., 6 yrs.; Russell Silbaugh, Dem., 4 yrs.; Harry Plantagan, Dem., 4 yrs.

Additional petitions filed up to noon, Tuesday, August 29:

County Office.
Recorder of Deeds—Henry B. Titterton, Rep.; Superintendent, Uniontown.

Uniontown Borough.
Constable—Geo. M. Thomas, Dem., 4th wd.

Salisbury Township.
School Director—G. M. Mowery, Rep.; 3 yrs.; Lloyd M. Neal, Rep., 4 yrs.
Constable—John H. Sanner, Rep.; John R. Grace, Rep.
Assessor—Wm. Bond, Rep.
Recorder Assessor—Samuel Coffman, Rep., Dist. No. 1.
Judge of Election—Wm. Plancher, Rep., Dist. No. 1; C. B. B. Plancher, Dem., Dist. No. 2.
Inspector of Election—Chas. Sanner, Dem., Dist. No. 2; James M. Mowery, Rep., Dist. No. 1; Hiram S. Sanner, Rep., Dist. No. 1.

Brownsville Township.
Constable—Samuel P. Murray, Rep.; Conneltsville Township.
Road Supervisor—Geo. W. Keffer, Dem.

Meadville Township.
Road Supervisor—Wm. Gilleland, Dem.

Washington Township.
Inspector of Election—Frank Vesley, Rep., Dist. No. 2.
Conneltsville.
Common Council—R. Vincent Renshaw, Rep., 4th wd.
Constable—Jos. T. Crossland, Dem., 4th wd.

Dunbar Township.
Inspector of Election—William Tarr, Rep., Dist. No. 1.
Judge of Election—Geo. E. Martin, Rep., Dist. No. 4.
Surrey Township.
Recorder Assessor—Geo. W. Johnson, Rep., Dist. No. 2.
Inspector Election—Hiram Firestone, Rep., Dist. No. 2.

Upper Tyrone Township.
School Director—John Kling, Rep., 4 yrs.; John P. Byrne, Rep., 4 yrs.; Harry B. Robbins, Dem., 2 yrs.; Michael Connors, Dem., 2 yrs.; Emmett P. Clark, Dem., 4 yrs.

Henry Clay Township.
School Director—C. W. Glover, Dem., 2 yrs.; John R. Hurnworth, Dem., 4 yrs.
Road Supervisor—Lloyd Connaway, Dem.; Andrew J. Fike, Rep.; O. J. Connaway, Rep.; Jno. W. Reckner, Dem.
Recorder Assessor—L. M. Thomas, Dem., Dist. No. 1.
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